

Dear Ford Swales,

12/1/84

Thank you for your kind words and thoughtfulness in using so attractive a card and sending the return postage, which I've temporarily mislaid.

Most of the books on the assassinations are not dependable. Those that theorize are the most undependable and, I believe, irresponsible.

There are two truly fine works but both are out of print and I do not know how you can obtain copies. However, should there be any such possibility, they are Sylvia Meagher's Accessories After the Fact and Howard Roffman's Presumed Guilty.

With regard to the availability of pictures, both Associated Press and United Press International published hasty books at the time of the JFK assassination with some but they are long out of print and in general both just went along with the official solution, which they could anticipate easily.

It is possible that Robert Groden, 385 Florida Grove Rd., Hopelawn, N.J., 08861, may be able to help you if he is not too busy.

It also is possible that Dave Hawkins, Collector's Archive, in Canada, whose address my wife is looking up and I'll add, may have some. (I do not subscribe to some beliefs attributed to him, which is a separate matter.)

What you say of the Swedish press is true of most of the world. They just did not believe the official story which, as you know, simply isn't credible.

In this country, however, all the major media still support the official story, as much as they would if an official press.

Hawkins' address is Beaconsfield, Quebec, Canada, H9W 5T6.

I have not been able to complete any further books. However, we maintain a mailing list, which we also keep confidential, and if and when I do you will be notified.

Best wishes,